

EMPLOYÉ'S OFFICE ASSISTANT TREASURER AT NEW  
ORLEANS.

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FROM

THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY,

TRANSMITTING

*A communication from the assistant treasurer of the United States at New Orleans, submitting certain increases in the force and compensation of employés in his office.*

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT,  
January 11, 1893.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith, for the favorable consideration of Congress, a communication from the assistant treasurer of the United States at New Orleans, of the 6th instant, submitting certain increases in the force and compensation of employés in his office.

Respectfully, yours,

CHARLES FOSTER,  
Secretary.

The SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

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OFFICE OF ASSISTANT TREASURER UNITED STATES,  
New Orleans, La., January 6, 1893.

DEAR SIR: I respectfully beg leave to request that your aid be given to secure the consideration by the present Congress of the estimate of appropriations for the ensuing fiscal year presented by this office.

The request for the allowance for the salaries fixed by law may be a matter for difference of opinion; but not as to the requests for the additional force, which is an absolute necessity to secure a proper and efficient attention to the public interests.

The necessity for an additional clerk has been heretofore strongly urged. He is needed now more than ever, owing to the increased work

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entailed upon this office, under your recent instructions, that standard silver dollars be hereafter made direct from this office, instead of through the mint.

Such shipments in November last amounted to \$879,000, fully 1,200 packages, and in December to \$975,500, fully 1,400 packages. The labor of putting up, tagging, and shipping these additional packages, as well as their transmission to the express office each day—as that company only receives it at its office—entails too much work for the limited force now in this office.

The supervision of this work and its execution should be under the charge of a shipping or specie clerk. Such clerk has been asked for in my estimate and should be allowed.

I earnestly solicit your favorable consideration of this matter, and that your influence will be exerted with the House Committee on Appropriations to grant the desired relief.

Very respectfully, yours,

ANDREW HERO,  
*Assistant Treasurer United States.*

The SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY,  
*Washington, D. C.*

*Estimates of appropriations required for the service of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1894, by the assistant treasurer United States, New Orleans, La.*

Title of appropriation (detailed objects of expenditure).	Estimated amount which will be required for each detailed object of expenditure.	Amount appropriated for the current fiscal year ending June 30, 1893.
<b>Salaries:</b>		
Assistant treasurer.....	\$4,500	
Chief clerk and cashier.....	2,500	
Receiving teller.....	2,000	
Paying teller.....	2,000	
Bookkeeper.....	1,500	
Clerk.....	1,500	
Coin and redemption clerk.....	1,200	
Shipping clerk.....	1,200	
Clerk.....	1,200	
Two clerks at \$1,000.....	2,000	
Day watchman.....	720	
Night watchman.....	720	
Porter.....	900	
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>21,940</b>	<b>\$18,090</b>